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YOUR DATA,

YOUR RIGHTS

Information about how Barnardo’s processes your data

Barnardo’s respects your privacy and is committed to protecting your personal data and being transparent about how we collect and use your data. We will comply with any data protection legislation currently in force. This leaflet is our Privacy Notice, is available on our website at [www.barnardos.org.uk,](http://www.barnardos.org.uk/) explains how we use any personal information that you provide or which is provided to us by third parties.

This leaflet explains what data

Barnardo’s Bewick Road Services

keeps about you and/or your family, what Barnardo’s does with this data and your rights in relation to it.

# The data Barnardo’s records about you

Barnardo’s holds personal information about you which may include your name, date of birth, address, gender, ethnicity, sexual identity and whether you have a disability. We will also record information about the service provided to you, including assessments, plans and reviews.

In addition

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records the following information

Education data (e.g. a child’s school and whether they are subject to an EHCP), relevant health information and any safeguarding information where appropriate. We also record the names and contact information of parents/carers and any other professionals involved in your care.

We may also take photographs of a child/young person or video/audio record sessions during our work together. Photographs help to record the work we did together and video/audio recordings may be used to help practitioners in their development and learning.

We record your data so that we can make sure our services meet your needs.

Barnardo’s Bewick Road Services records all the data as outlined above to enable us to keep a record of the work we are doing together. This information helps inform assessments, planning and reviews to ensure the intervention we are providing is the most helpful to you.

We also record this data so that we can provide reports to Commissioners who fund our Service. All information provided to Commissioners is anonymised.

Sessions may be audio or video recorded with your agreement to support practitioners in their learning and development.

If Barnardo’s uses CCTV to keep children, young people and staff safe we comply with the Information Commissioner’s Office CCTV Code of Practice.

# What is the source of the data that we record about you?

Barnardo’s Bewick Road Services receives information about children and young people and their families who are referred to us from:

* The child/young person themselves
* Family members and carers
* Schools
* Children’s Social Care
* GPs and other health professions e.g. CYPS
* Police
* Observations made by the Bewick Road worker and other staff within the Service

Some of this information is received electronically eg referrals made by email. Some information is shared verbally during telephone calls and/or meetings with children/young people, parents/carers and with professionals. Some of the information is directly observed by Bewick Road Staff.

**The reasons Barnardo’s keeps a record of your data**

The reasons why we keep a record of your data include;

* to help us decide how best we can help you;
* to record how we have worked with you;
* to assess how successful we have been in helping you and to report this to the organisations that are funding the work we do; and to meet relevant requirements of the law or regulatory bodies.

Under the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR), and the UK’s Data Protection Act 2018, we must have a legal reason to keep your data and process it. When Barnardo’s provides you with a service, we will process your data under legitimate interest or public interest. We do this because we cannot provide a service to you without using your personal information.

# Who might Barnardo’s share your data with?

In order to provide you with a service, Barnardo’s may share your data with the following people who may see your record;

* Barnardo’s staff involved in providing you with the service and their managers,
* Barnardo’s research staff in order to measure the difference we are making and improve our services for children,
* Inspectors from within Barnardo’s and external regulators who might look at your record to check we are providing a quality service and meeting our legal requirements,
* Representatives of the commissioner (such as a local authority or health authority) where Barnardo’s is delivering a service on behalf of another organisation. They would do this to assure themselves – and you – that our work is proceeding as it should.

Monitoring data is regularly shared with Commissioners namely, but not exclusively, the relevant health authority, OFSTED, SEND LA inspections.

If relevant, data can be shared with the Police and Court for the purposes of private and public and criminal proceedings.

* Add information about research
* We may be required to share your data with other agencies for legal reasons, a court order for example, or with other organisations if we believe that you are at risk of harm or may harm someone else.
* There may be occasions when we will ask

you for consent to use your data, for example; to help us inform the public about our work. If this is the case, we will explain to you exactly what your data will be used for.

You can withdraw your consent at any time, and wherever possible, any of your data that has been used for publicity purposes will be deleted.

We may share your data with the NHS for the purposes of informing health policy and monitoring and improving care. To find out more, or opt-out, visit [www.nhs.uk/your-nhs-data-matters](http://www.nhs.uk/your-nhs-data-matters)

* If we want to share your data with anyone who is not included in this list, we will inform you and, unless we have the legal grounds to share the data, we will seek your consent.

# Who is legally responsible for your data?

South Tees SENDIASS – Redcar and Middlesbrough Borough Councils

**What happens to your data when Barnardo’s has stopped working with you?** Barnardo’s will keep your data for a specified period of time once we have finished working with you, depending on the nature of the service and our legal obligations.

Bewick Road Services keeps your data for the following time period before it is deleted/destroyed:

* 1 year if no take up of service
* 6 years from closure of file
* 75 years from DOB if service user is ‘Looked After’
* 75 years for files where the service user has experienced physical/sexual/emotional abuse.

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# Your right to receive a copy of your data (Subject Access Request)

You are entitled to request a copy of the data that Barnardo’s holds about you. This is available at no charge to you. Please ask your worker or make your request verbally or in writing to:

Jackie Moulding

Children’s Services Manager

Bewick Road Services

Tel: 07881 834429

You may also contact the Data Protection Officer, see details below. There is a form that you may use if you wish; your worker will provide you with a copy. It is also available on the Barnardo’s website: [www.barnardos.org.uk](http://www.barnardos.org.uk/)

We will endeavour to provide you with a copy of your data within a month. If for any reason this takes longer than one month, we will explain our reasons for the delay to you. If you have any concerns about the content of your record, you should contact the manager of the service you are working with or the Data Protection Officer, contact details below. We will correct any factual

inaccuracies such as your date of birth or ethnicity. We will not usually change any record of actions and events, but your views about the content will be added to the record.

# Contact Us

If you would like more information about how you data is handled, to receive a copy of your data or make a complaint about the way Barnardo’s is handling your data, please contact;

Jackie Moulding

Children’s Services Manager

Bewick Road Services

Suite 4, Osprey House   
Kingfisher Way  
Silverlink Business Park  
Wallsend  
Tyne and Wear   
NE28 9ND  
  
Tel: 07881 834 429

Or

Data Protection Officer, at:

Barnardo’s Head Office Tanners Lane, Barkingside, Ilford, Essex IG6 1QG

 020 8550 8822

 [dpo@barnardos.org.uk](mailto:dpo@barnardos.org.uk)

If you wish to lodge a complaint or seek advice from a supervisory authority please contact: Information Commissioner

Wycliffe House Water Lane Wilmslow Cheshire

SK9 5AF

 01625 545 745

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You can view Barnardo’s Privacy Policy in full on the website: [www.barnardos.org.uk](http://www.barnardos.org.uk/)

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